

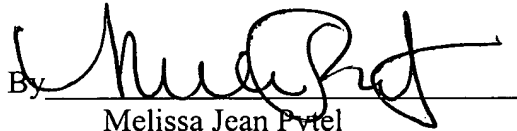
Applicants respectfully request that the preliminary amendment described herein be entered into the record prior to calculation of the filing fee and prior to examination and consideration of the above-identified application.

If a telephone conference would be helpful in resolving any issues concerning this communication, please contact Applicants' primary attorney-of record, Melissa Jean Pytel (Reg. No. 41,512), at (612) 371.5304.

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36. A nucleic acid sequence expressing the humanized antibody of [any of claims 1, 11, 23, 34 or 35] claim 1.
37. A vector expressing the humanized antibody of [any of claims 1, 11, 23, 34 or 35] claim 1.
38. A composition for treatment of cancer, comprising the humanized antibody of [any of claims 11, 11, 23, 34 or 35] claim 1.
39. A composition for detecting cancer cells, comprising the humanized antibody of [claims 1, 11, 23, 34 or 35] claim 1.
40. A composition of for detecting cancer cells, comprising a polypeptide capable of specifically binding TAG-72, said polypeptide comprising a functional fragment of the humanized antibody of [any of claims 1, 11, 23, 34 or 35] claim 1.
42. A method for treating cancer comprising:  
administering the humanized antibody of [any of claims 1, 11, 23, 34 or 35] claim 1 to a patient.
43. A method of detecting cancer cells, comprising:  
contacting cells with the humanized antibody of [any of claims 1, 11, 23, 34 or 35] claim 1.
46. A method of detecting cancer cells, comprising:  
contacting cells with composition comprising a polypeptide capable of specifically binding TAG-72, said polypeptide comprising a functional fragment of the humanized antibody of [any of claims 11, 11, 23, 34 or 35] claim 1.